

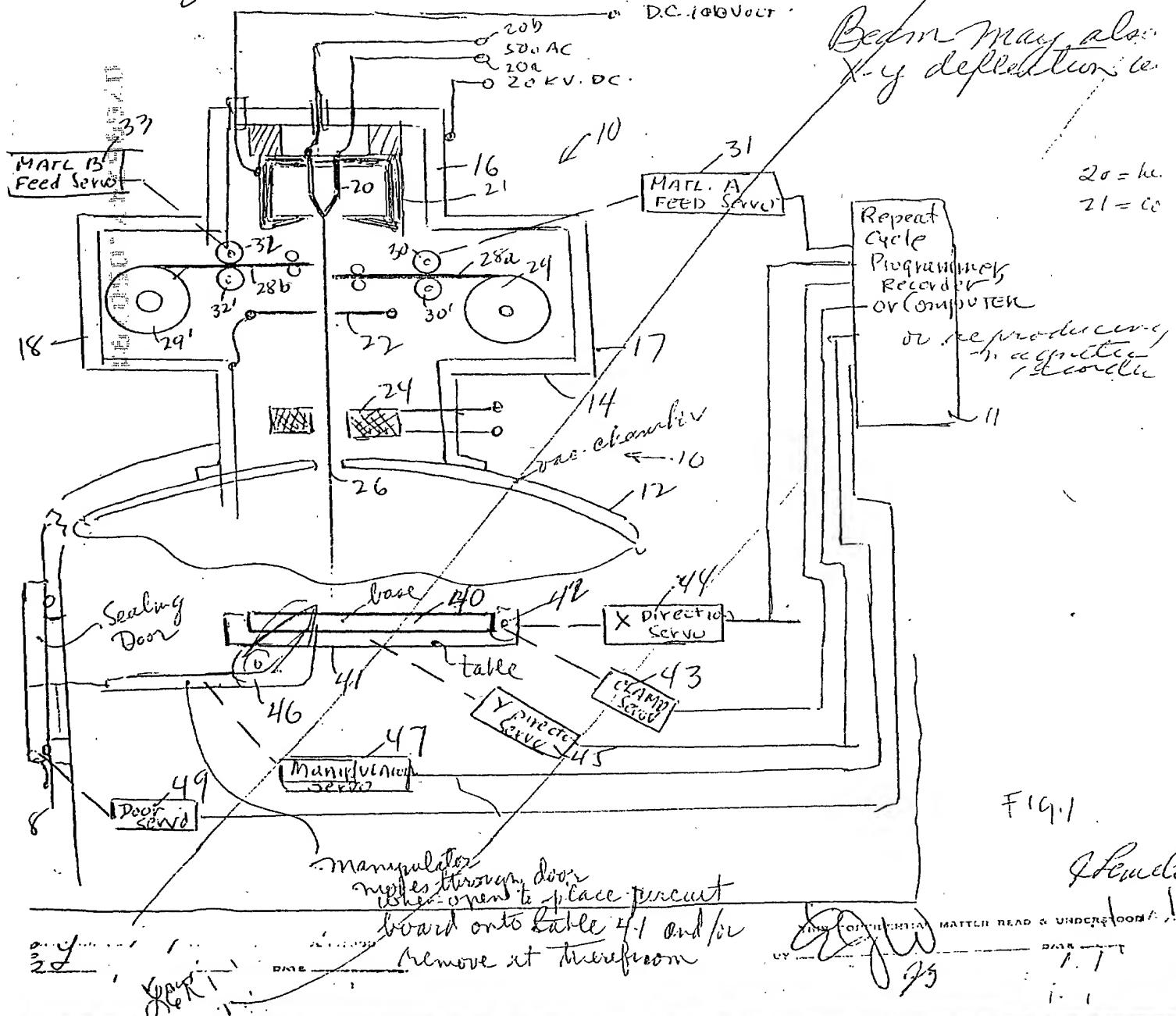
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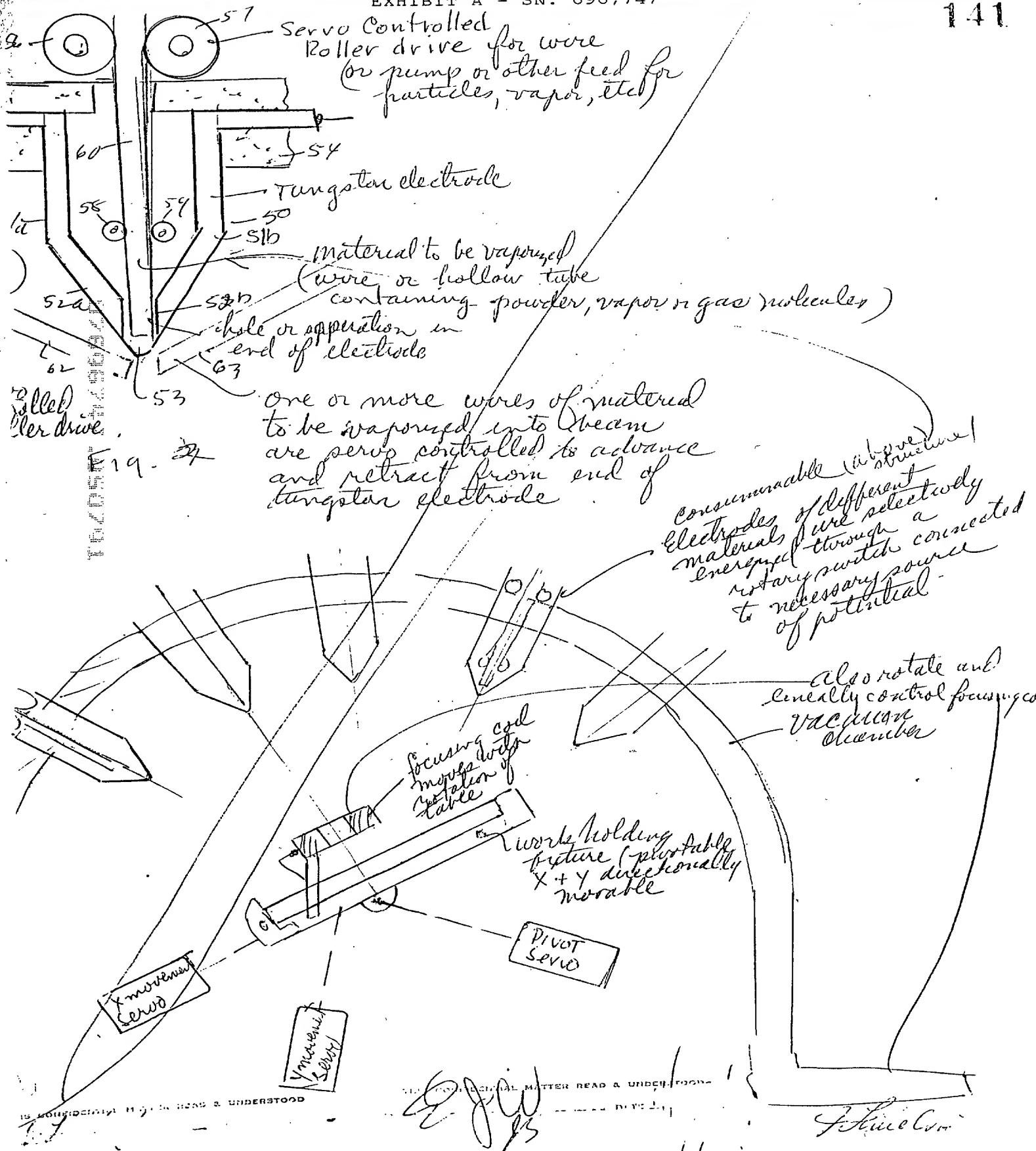
with and recording monitor,

(a)

Electron Beam Deposition of Circuits

The following arrangements have been conceived for be. depositing electronic circuits onto bases.





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In the electron beam apparatus of pp 140 & 141
 the claims for which I have been working on over
 past 10 months it is noted that:

(1) The beam may be deflection controlled
 by means of an analog signal or signals
 using deflection plates of conventional design

(2) The beam focus

All servos such as door to vac. chamber
 opening & closing servo, work positioning servo
~~or~~ servos for feeding materials into the beam
 manipulators for admitting and removing workpiece
 from chamber, work clamping servo, etc. as well as
 as the means for controlling focus, deflection, and
 selection of (one of a multitude of) beam may be
 automatically controlled on a tonometer cycle
 of operation by means of a programming mean
 such as a magnetic or other recorder on which
 is recorded the necessary analog and/or digital
 signals to effect such control in such record
 is operated and transduced from its active vac.
 signals in a predetermined sequence.

(3) Material to be deposited may be added
 to beam as a rod or wire, powder, liquid, or
 gas which materials are carried along by
 beam to work piece and focused thereon by
 Beam energy or modulation may be controlled
 by a reproduced analog or digital signals to
 prepare (heat or erode, melt or vaporize) surface
 base or surface on which selected deposits are to
 be made.

(4). Chemical reactions may take place in beam alloying, doping, etc
 beam and material therein by means of
 inter-surface intersected by beam.

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Machining or otherwise physically
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can may be effected by change of
beam energy, etc. or by means of
more auxiliary beams (generated
in same gun or chamber of different guns)
are similarly reflected controlled and
fed.

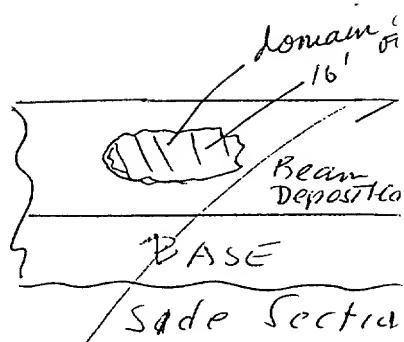
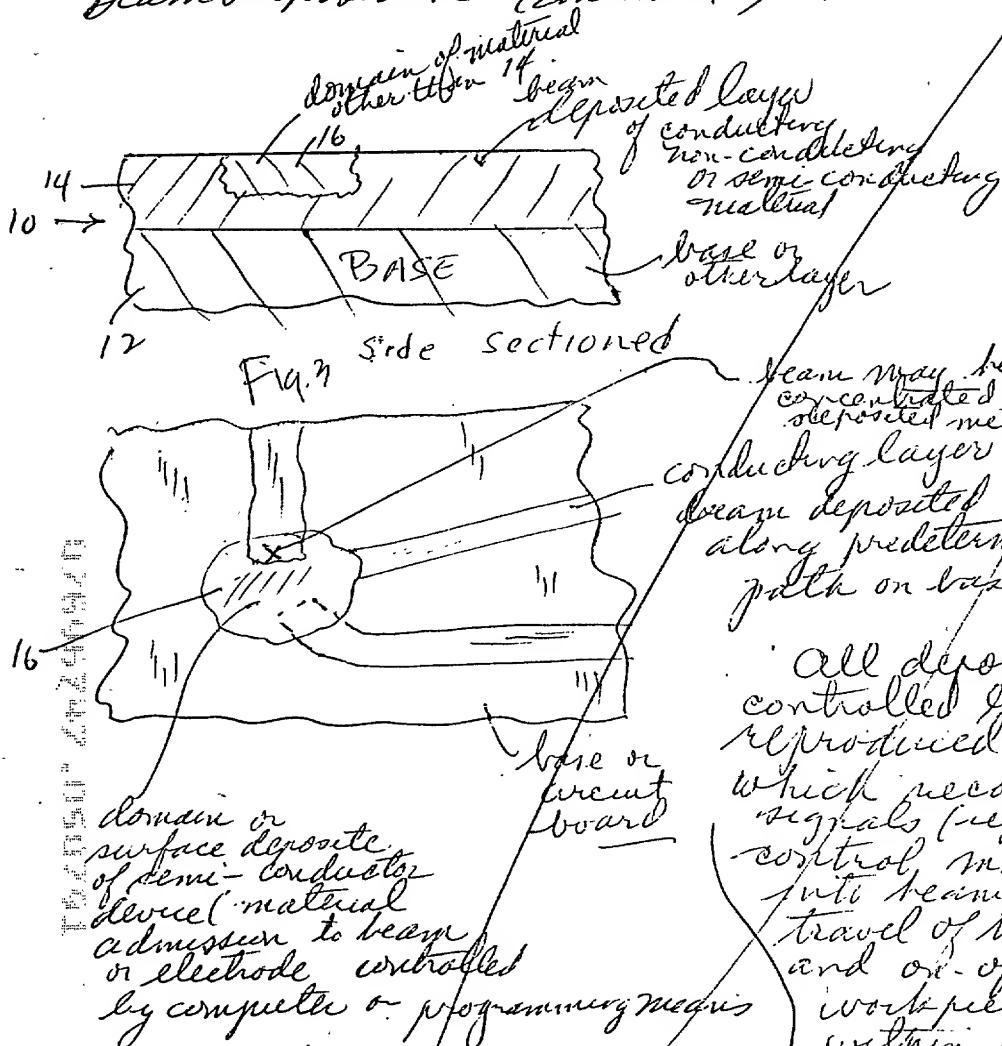
Material to be deposited (wire, powder, vapor,
gas) may be positionally controlled by
servos controlled by the programming
controlling the other variable to be
placed or moved into the volume
focus of the beam directly above surface

or may be focused in gun into which
material is selectively fed and controlled
by programming means. After focus beam
is diverged or directed as a narrow
beam against surface of work and/or deflectionally

auxiliary beam may feed into main beam
after or at its focus or near its generation
which auxiliary beams contain atoms of
material to be deposited onto surface by
beam which may be deflection controlled
after in accordance with a programmed

optical maser may be used as an
auxiliary beam generator in conjunction with
arrangements or in place of electron
generating means thereof. Maser beam
is travelled inside or parallel to electron beam
is, or may be directed at the focus
electron beam to cooperate in machining
remove affecting surface of work or evaporation
used to be fed to beam.

Beam Deposition Contained 15.



beam may be concentrated here to diffuse deposited metal into domain deposits, conducting layer beam deposited along predetermined path on base

All deposits are by beam controlled by analog signals reproduced from a recorder, which recorders programme signals (reproduction) also control material selection (int into beam, rate of flow there, travel of beam across work, and on-off of beam position, work piece), handling of work within and in and out of vacuum chamber, etc.)

Feedback signals for indicating how much material is deposited and where to control beam position, flow and selection of different materials to be admitted to beam may be effected by means a reading electron beam directed by computer or programmed (recorded signals) to scan selected area or scanning entire target as the material is deposited or during periods when material

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is being deposited (inspection scanning period). The hot video signal derived by beam scanning may be analyzed by techniques as described in pending application "Automatic Inspection System" digitally determining in digital form the characteristics (optical characteristics) of the material deposited.

Spectroscopy may also be employed in which a beam is directed against the ~~beam~~ deposited and causes an emission of electrons therefrom which is spectrally analyzed; the results of which are used to control further deposition or removal of deposited material.

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Classification of Electron Beam Deposition Apparatus & Methods.

The following are arrangements, apparatus and methods I have conceived relating to electron beam manufacture of micro-circuits which I intend to incorporate in a number of my applications.

Deflection and intensity control of deposition (or machining, welding, electron beam or beams attained by one of the following techniques:

- Reproduced magnetically recorded video picture signal or signals.
- video signal generated by scanning optical recording
- output of digital recorder
- output of comparitor (summing amplifier) fed (a), or (b) above plus feedback signal generated by scanning either or both beams containing deposition material or surface containing deposited material.

Correction for over or incorrect area deposition may be made controlling beam per-area (by computer command signals or input of summing amplifier being fed command reproduced video signal and feedback scanning signal) which beam either

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machines or vaporous material already deposited,
 * Vapored material (vapored by corrective beam) may be removed from surface of workpiece by another beam or deflection controlled or otherwise positioned to effect said removal.

Correction for over deposition may also be made - deflection controlled beam containing an oxidizing or other compound.

Work may be positionally controlled by command signals derived from command recording as described or comprising command and feedback signals as described.

II Deflection control of beam (x, y. position plus intensity modulation plus position of focus) & control depending on position of the surface being beam-deposited on.

- (a) Depositing semi-conductor, metal or dielectric material
- (b) Depositing plural materials simultaneously different
- (c) " " " simultaneously different
- (d) introducing different materials at different times by different single heater
- (e) welding, machining, vaporizing deposited material

III Feed back signal compared with reference command (representing beam control signal) is generated by:

- (a) Beam scanning and analysis of ionized or vaporized parts therein as beam is generated and materials admitted there
- (b) Optical beam or work scan plus analysis
- (c) Spectroscopy or spectrographic (automatic) analysis - mass spectrograph + scan
- (d) Electron beam scan of deposited work with a video read beam

IV Material feed (to beam) by and as:

- (a) Rod or wire, servo driven into beam, into beam focus, into electrode generating beam (into voltage electrodes) or directly into beam at work. Servo controlled by direct command or command output receiving reproduced command signal plus feed back signal.
- (b) Servo controlled powder feed (as above)
- (c) Servo valve controlled (as above) feed of liquid conta

ition material onto beam (or vapourized deposition material into beam).

Plural Beams

Plural reproduced deflection control signals plus dual control or reference signals, plus work positioning also (optional), plus focus adjustment signals (optional) others mentioned above are used to simultaneously sequentially control beams each depositing different material alternately.

Beam Deposition Techniques (Miscellaneous features)

(a) Electron beam plus photographic techniques.

(i) Beam deposits components onto conducting film pattern formed by photo-etching, photo-composition (exposure to light and developing)

(2) Optical beam (laser light beam) is deflection controlled and cooperates with deflection controlled electron beam in welding, machining, effecting deposition, chemically reacting (on dep materials) deposited by electron beam, etc. Laser light beam may also be used to carve photoresist film, expose it over all, develop image, used for corrective purposes (vapourize or machine material) (film) deposited by electron beam, vapourize material(s) to be deposited or directed by electron beam, take work, etc. Laser beam deflection controlled by servo controlled mirror(s) controlled by reproduced command signal or output of comparator or computer

(b) Plural beams cooperate. One vaporizes (laser or electron beam) material to be deposited; feeds it at or to second deposition, this which is deflection controlled and deposits material, and beam scans either second beam or surface which is just received material to provide a feedback signal to a comparator (summing amplifier or other) which provides an output to control both first and second beams (i.e. on-off or intensity or focus of first beam and position of second beam). First and second beams are controlled by respective command signals fed to

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respective comparator means each of which receives some feedback signal generated by said beam during scanning what is being or was just deposited.

(c) An apparatus for repairing, modifying or adding micro-circuits circuit has also been conceived based on beam scanning the circuit already deposited (surface scanning) and determining by reading with the beam the physical-optical or atomic structure of the circuit, by X-ray scanning, by optical scanning said circuit (with a modulated light beam) or by a combination of two or three of these scanning techniques, been conceived. The output signal derived by scanning is fed to a computer, which thereafter provides signals for controlling beam deflection, modulation, position of workpiece, material selection and feed to beam, mask selection, etc to effect a desired repair, change in structure, etc.

(d) Vaporization of material in a primary electron beam by means of a mesh through which beam(s) are deposited beam is passed and picks up the material to be deposited, carried material changed by new composition(s) formed in a beam directed against a workpiece by either the action of the beam per se or the reaction of the beam temperature, and two or more of the materials admitted thereto or one or more admitted material and material of the workpiece.

(f) Growth of predetermined crystal structure by means of melting material(s) admitted thereto and deposited, or by a combination of materials admitted to beam being deposited thereby onto a crystal being grown. Programmed control of beam deflection, on-off-modulation focus; crystal movement, material flow into beam (based on feedback derived by said beam, crystal, etc. (as described above) fed into comparators also command signal and providing difference signal for control.

(g) Creation of mask through which erosion electron beam is directed for chemically or mechanically affecting changing chemically, welding, etc) the workpiece by means of photosensitive mask material, thermoplastic according film of General Electric Co. which mask is formed by exposure to a work beam of said mask material which writing beam is mod. to affect the recorded image (transparent and opaque or rep. pattern in the mask. Mask may be in the field of the

ted against the workpiece (in path of beam)

(b) Use of a unique mask in beam path made of a grating - as a diffraction grating produced by beam etching thin plate selective and controlled deposition of material introduced in beam, or to or after passing thru mask. Plural diffraction gratings used at right angles to each other will produce line beams < than .001 inches in diameter.

(c) Use of a mask to break up beam intense electron or laser beam into a plurality of beams directed thereafter against selected areas of the workpiece for the effecting welding, brazing (hole drilling), erosion or deposition onto said select

(d) Program control (plus feedback where necessary) of beam beam (deflection), focus, etc. of position of workpiece, and different materials feed into beam to selectively deposit different materials onto different areas of workpiece

(e) Exposure, machining, chemically changing, development and baking of a photoresistive material to form a circuit by means of beam and use of beam to deposit semi-conducting, dielectric conducting materials onto selected areas of photoresistively developed circuit all by automatic control as above.

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Extrude multiple sheets or strips apart, & filaments
of different materials) & laminate continuously.

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To rods, tubes, wires or other structural members made of plastic filaments or metal whiskers (single crystals of metal of exceptional strength) which are compacted together and bonded or welded where they cross. They may be encapsulated in another plastic, metal, ceramic, powdered metal, etc to form solid, filament reinforced structures.

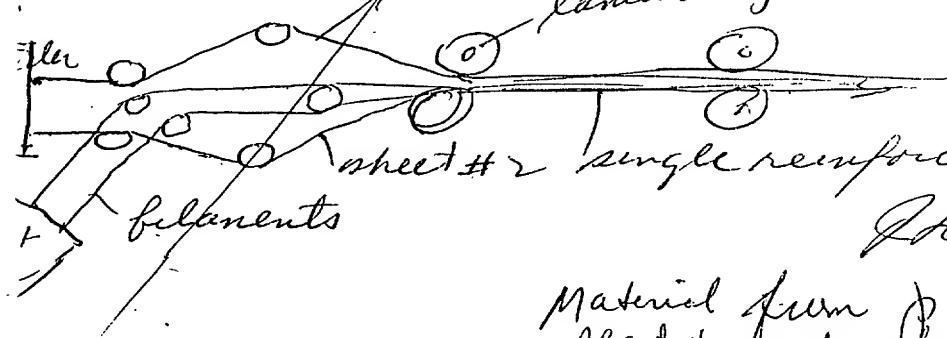
It is conceived to simultaneously extrude a plurality of sheets of thermoplastic or ribbons thereof from a single die bar from spaced-apart slit openings and guide said sheets or strips as follows:

(a) First guide apart, continuously, to admit filaments (reinforcing or decorative), or cloth, threads or other material as a continuous or broken web between two of said strips and continuously laminate into a single, integral sheet of reinforced material.

(b) Drive each sheet thru polishing rolls and then laminate (improved clarity).

(c) Simultaneously extrude from another extrusion chamber, a plurality of reinforcing filaments (of glass, polypropylene, or other plastic), guide these between at least two of the strips, or ribbons or sheets not extruded and continuously laminate together.

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